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VEGETABLE VARIETIES IN NEBRASKA

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Following is a list of the varieties of vegetables found to be satisfactory over the state.

Other varieties have done well in some localities, so if you have one that has been satisfactory, continue to use it. Perhaps some of the suggested varieties would be superior to your local varieties, and hence should be included for trial in future plantings.

Asparagus

- *Mary Washington
- *Washington 500

Beans

Bush-green

- *Contender
- *Tendergreen
- *Tenderette

Bush-Wax

- *Cherokee
- *Kinghorn Wax

Pole-Green

- *Improved Kentucky Wonder
- *Blue Lake

Lima Beans

- *Fordhook (Large)
- *Thaxter

Beets

- *Ruby Queen
- *Detroit Dark Red
- *Early Wonder

Broccoli

- *Spartan Early
- *Green Mountain
- *Waltham 29

* Varieties that freeze well

Cabbage

- Golden Acre (64 days)
- Jersey Wakefield (71 days)
- Marion Market (72 days)
- Hybrid Emerald Cross (67 days)
- Copenhagen Market (68 days)
- Red Acre (74 days)
- Mammoth Red Rock (90 days)
- Wisconsin Hollander (115 days)
- Danish Ballhead (100 days)
- Hybrids (85-100 days)

Carrots

- Red Core Chantenay
- Long Imperator Strains

Cauliflower

- *Snowball M
- *Snow Cap

Chard

- Lucullus
- Rhubarb Chard

Cucumbers

Pickling

- Mosaic Resistant #17
- National Pickling

Slicing

- Burpee's Hybrid
- Sure Crop Hybrid
- Marketeer (Mosaic Resistant)

Eggplant

- *Hybrids
- *Black Beauty

Kohlrabi

- White Vienna
- Purple Vienna

Lettuce

Leaf

- Early Curled Simpson
- Salad Bowl

Head

- Penn Lake
- Premier Great Lakes
- Bibb
- Buttercrunch

Muskmelons

- Edisto
- Honey Rock
- Hearts of Gold
- Delicious 51
- Hybrids (X)

Onions

- Valencia
- Colorado No. 6
- Sweet Spanish Utah Strain
- Southport White Globe
- Southport Red Globe

Parsnips

- Improved Hollow Crown

Peas

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|--------------------|--------------------|
| Alaska | *Perfection |
| *Little Marvel | *Perfected Freezer |
| *Thomas Laxton | *Freezonian |
| *Laxton's Progress | |

(X) Some hybrids may be very well adapted for Nebraska conditions. Because of lack of adequate tests, it is not possible to recommend hybrid varieties for your specific locality.

Potatoes

(Eastern Nebraska)

White

Haig

Irish Cobbler

Kennebec

Red

Bounty

Dazoc

Norland

(Western Nebraska)

White

Haig

Kennebec

Platte

Hi Plain

Red

Progress

Red Lasoda

Bounty

Norland

Radishes

Cherry Belle

Crimson Giant

Early Scarlet Globe

Sparkler

White Icicle

Winter Radishes

China Rose

California White Mammoth

Rutabagas

American Purple Top

Spinach

Nobel

America

Early Hybrid 14

Squash & Pumpkin

Summer

*Early White Bush Scallop
(Patty Pan)

*Early Prolific

*Hybrid Zucchini

*Early Summer Crookneck

Winter

*Table Queen

*Buttercup

*Butternut

*Hubbard

Small Sugar

Jack-O-Latern

Connecticut Field

Sweet Corn

*Gold Cup

*Seneca Chief

*Tendermost

*Iochief

*Ioana

*Hybrids

Popcorn

Hybrid White Hulless (85 days)

White Cloud Hybrid (95 days)

Purdue 202 (Hybrid-yellow) 105 days

Hybrids (X)

Sweet Potatoes

Kandee

Orange Little Stem

Nemagold

Lakan

Tomatoes

Fire Ball (very early)

Red Cloud (early)

Sioux (midseason)

Glamour

Hybrids (X)

Surprise

Avalanche

Watermelons

Crimson Sweet (wilt resistant)

Blacklee (wilt resistant)

Black Diamond

Charleston Gray (wilt resistant)

Hybrids (X)

Midget Type

Sugar Baby

New Hampshire Midget

Winter Queen